

# 2008 GAME RECAPS

**INDIANA 31 W Kentucky 13** - Lewis got a 75 yd TD run. IU then went 56/10pl for a FG. IU went 85/12pl for an 11 yd TD pass. At the half the Hoosiers had a 263-72 yd edge. Lewis was int'd at IU's 33 but WK fmbld at the 1 on a 32 yd pass. WK drove 29/7pl for a 27 yd FG, 17-3. IU fmbld a punt snap at its own 45 and WK went 9pl for a 22 yd FG. IU went 72/7pl for a TD, 24-6 after 3Q's. WK converted on three 3rd & longs for a 32 yd TD pass on an 80/12pl drive, 24-13. Lewis got a 62 yd TD run, 31-13. WK was SOD at its own 26 and IU was SOD at the WK27 (:23).

**INDIANA 45 Murray St 3** - MSU was w/o their QB and started 5'8" Yantko who played S/LB in '07. IU had 29-10 FD & 476-149 yd edges. IU's Thigpen got 67 & 31 yd TD runs, 14-3 after 1Q. They made it 24-3 at the half with a 251-99 yd edge and scored TD's on their 1st 3 poss of the 2H. IU's final drive took up 12:21 going 19pl and they ended the game at the 10.

**Ball St 42 INDIANA 20** - IU blk'd a punt which set up a 40 yd FG. BS went 80/10pl and 80/11pl for TD's while IU went 67 yds for a 31 yd FG, 14-6. IU's Lewis was int'd at the BS11 but then the Hoosiers got a 32 yd FR TD on a play in which the NCAA's #1 receiver Love was severely inj'd, 14-13. BS went 80/5pl with a 45 yd TD pass, 21-13. IU went 73/9pl for a TD, 21-20. BS got a 40 yd IR TD with 1:04 left 2Q, 28-20 and had a 281-97 1H yd edge. BS missed a 40 yd FG and then fmbld at the IU6 after a 74/10pl drive. IU missed a 43 yd FG with 11:44 left. BS went 74/11pl for a TD and after IU was SOD at its own 27, BS added a TD 2pl later, 42-20. IU went 68/13pl but was SOD at the BS6 with :10 left.

**Michigan St 42 INDIANA 29** - MSU went 51/10pl for a 45 yd FG but IU went 76/9pl for a TD, 7-3. MSU went 49/8pl for a 48 yd FG, 7-6. IU's Lewis left due to inj and Chappell was int'd and ret'd 35 yds to the IU5. MSU added a TD 2 plays later, 13-7. MSU went 80/8pl for a TD, 20-7. IU went 80/9pl for a TD and then blk'd a P for a safety, 20-16. MSU got an 82 yd TD pass to TE Gantt but IU answered with a 78 yd TD run by Thigpen, 27-22 (2ptng) at the half. MSU drove 49/3pl for a TD, 34-22. Lewis ret'd and IU got a 79 yd TD pass to Thigpen. IU had a 97 yd TD pass called back due to a hold in the EZ which resulted in an MSU safety, 36-29. Lewis was int'd at IU's 39 and MSU added a 45 yd FG with 14:28 left, 39-29. MSU went 65/10pl for a 32 yd FG, 42-24 (3:45). IU fmbld at the MSU21 with 1:48 left.

**MINNESOTA 16 Indiana 7** - UM opened with a 68/16pl drive but missed a 28 yd FG. UM later went 72/6pl for a TD as QB Weber hit his first 12 passes. A bad pitch by Weber was rec'd by IU at the 34 but Chappell was int'd at the 26. IU got their first FD on a 77 yd TD pass to Thigpen, 7-7 (2:29 left 2Q). At the half UM had 11-2 FD and 164-101 yd edges. IU drove 56/8pl but Lewis fmbld at the UM24 and the Gophers went 64/7pl for a 29 yd FG. After an exchange of fmbld's UM got a 42 yd FG, 13-7 after 3Q's. IU went 32/8pl but Lewis pooch punted to the 19. Later UM went 50/15pl and got a 38 yd FG with :22 left.

**Iowa 45 INDIANA 9** - After a 31 yd IR to the Indy11, Iowa got a 26 yd FG. After an 11 yd PR, Iowa drove 34/5pl for a TD. Indy went on an 11pl drive and had a 46 yd FG bounce off the upright and in, 10-3 after 1Q. Iowa went 44/7pl for a TD. Indy drove 89/11pl for a 17 yd TD pass with :30 left 2Q, 17-9 (xpng) and the Hoosiers had a 154-142 yd edge. Iowa opened the 3Q with 60/5pl and 58/5pl TD drives, 31-9 and most of the fans left. Indy was SOD at the Iowa14 and fmbld at the Iowa37 (13:24). Iowa went 63/10pl and 68/13pl for TD's, the latter with :59 left.

**ILLINOIS 55 Indiana 13** - Indy was w/o QB Lewis. IL got a 60 yd pass on their 1st play which set up a TD. Indy drove 42/9pl and 15/5pl but missed 38 & 45 yd FG's. IL went 72/7pl for a TD, 14-0. Indy went 76/5pl for a TD, 14-7. IL went 63/7pl and 75/3pl for TD's and led 28-7 at the half with a 306-145 yd edge. IL opened the 3Q with an 80/5pl TD drive, 34-7 (xpng). Indy went 63/10pl but settled for a 23 yd FG, 34-10. IL went 76/8pl for a TD and after rec a fmbld went 31/8pl for a TD, 48-10. Indy fmbld at the IL9, got a 31 yd FG and was SOD at the IL32 on their final 3 poss while the Illini added a 96 yd KR TD with 5:52 left.

**INDIANA 21 Northwestern 19** - NU went on a 90/20pl FG drive. IU gained 17 yds on a fake punt and then got a 43 yd pass to cap a 93/8pl TD drive. IU rec'd a fmbld KO at the NU40 but was SOD on 4th & 6. NU went on an 11pl drive but was int'd at the 4. The Cats later went 61/12pl for a TD, 9-7 (xpng). IU missed a 47 yd FG but NU fmbld with 1:04 left 1H and IU, 7pl later, got a TD with :11 left, 14-9. NU went 32/5pl for a 26 yd FG, 14-12. IU's Thigpen took the pitch, handed off to Evans who threw to Doss for a 28 yd TD pass, 21-12. RB Sutton was lost due to inj but NU went 70/8pl for a TD, 21-19. IU missed a 51 yd FG (5:55). NU was int'd at the IU32 (4:03) and with Bacher out due to inj Kafka was sk'd and fmbld which IU rec'd at the 8 (1:34). IU finished +5 in TO's.

**C Michigan 37 INDIANA 34** - CM backup QB Brunner set a school record throwing for 485 yds. Four of the first 6 poss were all long TD drives, 14-14. IU went 65/6pl for a TD and CM went 58/7pl for a TD, 21-21 at the half. On IU's 1st 2H poss they got a 64 yd TD pass, 28-21. Brunner was int'd at the CM41 but IU missed a 30 yd FG. A short pass to CM's Brown went 79 yds for a TD, 28-28. IU went 49/5pl for a TD, 34-28 (xp blk'd) late 3Q. CM had a TD called back and settled for a FG. IU's Chappell was int'd and CM drove 56/7pl for a TD and the lead, 37-34. IU was SOD on 4th & 5 at its own 49 and CM ran out the clock.

**Wisconsin 55 INDIANA 20** - The first 4 poss were long drives and UW led 14-10. A fmbld KO set Indy up for a 33 yd FG. UW was int'd at its 39 but Indy was SOD at the 36. The Badgers went 64/11pl for a TD, 21-13. Indy went 73/9pl for a TD, 21-20. After UW tkl'd the P the Badgers went 48/7pl for a 19 yd FG and led 24-20 at the half. UW got a 90 yd TD run by WR Gilreath on its first 3Q play, 31-20. UW tkl'd the P at the IU16 and got a 39 yd FG, 34-20. UW went 80/11pl for a TD, 41-20 after 3Q. UW went 70/6pl for a TD, 48-20. UW went 68/11pl for a TD with 3:37 left to ice it.

**PENN ST 34 Indiana 7** - Thigpen got a 57 yd TD to tie it at 7 early 2Q. PSU missed a 40 yd FG but after blk'g a P with :35 left 2Q, got a 32 yd FG and led 10-7. PSU drove 61/8pl for a TD and 40/8pl for a FG to lead 20-7 (8:20 3Q). IU faked a punt on 4th & 8 at its own 30 and was SOD and PSU went 29/6pl for a TD, 27-7 after 3Q's. PSU went 67/8pl for a TD with 7:32 left but then was SOD at the IU35 with 2:27 left.

**PURDUE 62 Indiana 10** - It was Joe Tiller's FHG and PU dominated from start to finish with 35-13 FD and 596-214 yd edges. PU led 41-3 at the half and scored on their first 2 poss of the 3Q to lead 55-3 and even finished the game being SOD at the IU10 with :09 left.